N.T.P.C. dues towards State Electricity Boards

2359. SHRI SURESH KALMADI : Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the National Thermal Power Corporation is reeling under the burden of arrears of crores of rupees from various State Electricity Boards, has warned them to clear the dues immediately or face electricity disconnection and

(b) if so, what are the names of such State Electricity Boards, together with the details of arrears outstanding against them ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI KALP NATH RAI) : (a) The outstanding receivables of the National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) from State Electricity Boards and Union Territories is Rs. 2400.98 crores as on 31-10-1992. The NTPC contemplates disconnection of power supply to the defaulting states and regulate flow of power commensurate with the payments being made.

(b) The names of the State Electricity Boards/Union Territories together with the details of amounts outstanding against them are furnished in the Statement.

Statement

NTPC's outstanding dues as on 31st October, 92

(Rs. in Lacs)

STPS/SEB	Outstanding as on date	Surcharge Billed	Total outstanding
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
A. *NORTHERN REGION*			
Uttar Pradesh State Electricity Board	26501	20251	46752
Rajasthan State Electricity Board	7182	9999	17181
Delhi Electric Power Supply	8245	5172	13417
Punjab State Electricity Board	2888	105	2993
Haryana State Electricity Board	8457	6854	15311
Himachal Pradesh State Electricity Board	779	674	1453
Jammu & Kashmir	6191	703	6894
Union Territory of Chandigarh	—65	24	—41
	60178	43782	103960
B. *WESTERN REGION*			
Madhya Pradesh Electricity Board	14664	13023	27687
Maharashtra State Electricity Board	5076	4162	9238
Gujarat Electricity Board	8179	3872	12051
Goa	8	4	12
Dadra W Nagar Haveli	100	12	112
Daman & Diu	11	0	11
	28038	21073	49111

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
C. *SOUTHERN REGION*			
Andhra Pradesh State Electricity Board	5644	1833	7477
Karnataka Electricity Board	1926	1880	3806
Tamil Nadu Electricity Board	5124	3216	8340
Kerala State Electricity Board	3143	1239	4382
Goa	4	—	4
Pondicherry	—156	2	—154
	15685	8170	23855
D. *EASTERN REGION*			
West Bengal State Electricity Board	4498	3337	7835
Bihar State Electricity Board	27898	10650	38540
Orissa State Electricity Board	1472	1468	2940
Damodar Valley Corporation	10519	3328	13847
Sikkim	—9	11	2
	44376	18794	63172
Total (A+B+C+D)	148279	91819	240098

(X) Excluding two part billing, Andhra Pradesh Duty & Excise Duty & Cess.

2360. [*Transferred to the 18th December, 1992*]

Reduction in allocation for Power Projects in Andhra Pradesh

2361. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Central Electricity Authority/Rural Electrification Corporation have reduced allocation of funds under Rural Electrification Normal Programme from Rs. 9 crores to Rs. 1.40 crores to Andhra Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI KALP NATH RAI) : (a) and (b) On NABARD having agreed recently to provide funds for energisation of pumpsets under SPA Programme jointly funded by NABARD/Commercial Banks and REC, part of the funds under RE Normal Programme initially intended to be utilised for funding the pumset energisation programme solely by REC are now proposed to be utilised for the pumpset energisation under the participative SPA Programme so as to maximise the energisation of pumpsets in the State during the year. The revised total allocation for Andhra Pradesh, inclusive of Normal and SPA Programmes, will be Rs. 25 crores which will enable energisation of 48,000 pumpsets.

राजस्थान में ग्रामीण विद्युतीकरण सहकारी समितियां

2362. **श्री मूलचन्द मीणा** : क्या विद्युत मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) राजस्थान में कितने ब्लाकों में ग्रामीण विद्युतीकरण सहकारी समितियां काम कर रही हैं और केन्द्रीय सरकार ने इन समितियों के लिए कितनी-कितनी धनराशि उपलब्ध कराई है;

(ख) क्या इन समितियों के ब्लाकों के अधिकार क्षेत्र के अन्तर्गत आने वाले गांवों का विद्युतीकरण कर दिया गया है;